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State Board To Visit During Open House

Education Board To Meet SECC

The State Board of Education will meet with the State Emergency Construction Commission in Pasco during the week of April 23rd, and will be among the guests of CBC's open house that week.

This is the board's regular monthly meeting, and included on the agenda will be the allocation of funds for school instruction. These regular meetings are held at various locations, but this will be the first meeting of these bodies to be held outside Olympia or Seattle.

The State Board of Education consists of twelve people. Two are elected from each of the six state congressional districts. This district is represented by Herman Praetorius of Tieton and Mr. Paul Slusser of Pullman. Pearl Wanamaker, State Superintendent, is the president ex-officio.

The State Emergency Construction Commission consists of five members from this state. The meeting will be open to the public for those who are interested in attending.



ASB OFFICERS RECEIVE PLACQUE— President Jim Gower and Vice-President Dick Griffin (center) are shown receiving the plaque from George Askegaard, registrar, as P. A. Wright looks on. This plaque enrolls CBC in the association of junior colleges. (Photo by Steve Severson Studio)

CBC Host To Students Of TC Area

The week of April 23, will be Open House Week at Columbia Basin College, giving students and faculty an opportunity to extend hospitality to numerous guests.

Monday, members of the State Board of Education and of the State Emergency Construction Commission will visit the college.

During the rest of the week there will be visits from, and to, the various high schools of this area. These visits will attempt to present the college to high school students in such a manner that they may choose C.B.C. for their college in 1956.

Each day of the week has (Continued page 4, col. 5)

Vets, A.W.S. Plan Spring Formal

TV Production Class Plan Shows

The Television Production class, having completed a successful half hour show last quarter entitled "Springtime In America," is planning on undertaking at least three shows for the current quarter.

Time for these shows is donated as a public service by KEPR-TV in the interest of instructing students on the various mechanized intricacies of the Television field.

The current project is a program on juvenile delinquency. The idea for the show was formed by the class and all members are carrying out their certain assignments. City officials were consulted for

technical aid.

The performance will open with a typical juvenile crime and go through the stages in a dramatic interpretation. In the beginning the youth is caught by the police and turned over to the Juvenile Probation Officer. After this a hearing is held with the judge and finally the case is turned over to the Child Guidance Center for rehabilitation.

Dance Date Set For 5th

The Veterans Club and the Associated Women Students of Columbia Basin College are making tentative plans for a spring formal dance May 5th.

A King and Queen will be chosen to reign over the dance. Candidates will be nominated by the Vets Club and A.W.S. Each person purchasing a ticket will be entitled to one vote for the King and one vote for the Queen.

The dance is to be held at the Pasco Recreation Center and music will be furnished by a band. Admission price will be \$1.50 per couple.

Newspaper Joins Collegiate Press

The C.B.C. "Collegiate" became a member of the Associated Collegiate Press on February 7, 1956.

The ACP is a news service which sends information to more than one thousand college and university publications. It operates very much like the United Press and the Associated Press which serve the Commercial newspapers. It was founded in 1933 and its members are from every state including Canada. The head office is located in Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Four New Classes Now Being Offered

Four new classes, Orientation To Teaching, Business Math, A Survey Of U. S. History and Introduction To Classic Literature are being taught this quarter at CBC.

Health Education, Chemistry 101 and Biology 101 are also being taught for those who did not take them before. Beginning chemistry and biology are designed for those who only (Continued page 4, col. 3)

Akins, Pyne Given 57 Coaching Posts

Two Spokane coaches were appointed to Columbia Basin College's coaching staff for the 1956-57 year. The Pasco School District board of directors hired Hal Akins, former Rogers (Spokane) High School and Washington State College athlete, and Len Pyne, former Central Valley (Spokane) High School and University of Idaho basketball and track star.

Hal Akins, new head football and track coach, has been coaching football, basketball and tennis at Davenport High School. Len Pyne, new baseball mentor, has been at Colfax High School for nine years as head basketball and baseball coach and an assistant football coach.

Mr. Akins and Mr. Pyne will join the college faculty in the fall of this year. Their salaries are reported to be around \$5,000, in agreement with the board's present pay scale for college teachers.

NCA All-American

Mr. Akins played football Washington State in 1945, 1946 and 1947, and was nominated on page 3, col. 2)

Twenty-Three Make Honors

"Twenty-three C.B.C. students made the Winter Quarter Honor Roll," George Askegaard, registrar, announced last week and "eleven received Honorable Mention."

Honor roll students include Herbert Aeschliman, Wally Adams, Charlotte Aguilar, Edith Benninghoven, Norma Bentson, Billy Cheek, Charlene Coombs, Clyde Combs, Ken Ehrsam, Willard Filion, Harlan Forner, Jim Gower, Dick Griffin, Zel Lehto, David Long, Frances Miller, William Mulkey, Larry Osterman, Guy Parkman, Bruce Perkins, Bob Simonton, Francis Soehnlein, Keith Sterling.

The top student was Herbert A. Aeschliman.

Those eligible for the honor roll must have a total of 50 or more honor points with no more than five hours of "C".

Honorable Mention Students are Thomas Burnside, Keith Andrews, John Frank Jr., Richard Harman, Charles McHaney, Walter Menefee, Darrell Monasmith, Clayton Rau, Donald Sanders, Kathleen Trimble, and Joe Turner.

Those eligible for honorable mention must have 43 to 49 grade points.

CBC Collegiate

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Blessed With Skeptics!

I am writing this letter to the editor in answer to some of the townspeople who look down upon this school with disapproval.

When something is new there are bound to be skeptics. This school is blessed with the usual hodgepodge of skeptics. Columbia Basin College is a new school and has yet to prove itself; I know for a fact that I myself regard this school as an institution where there is knowledge for those who want it. The ironic part about this is that this type of student is over-shadowed by the few playboys or play-girls that are always present at a school. These cutups are the ones that the narrow-minded, self-appointed critics judge the school by.

It seems that some of the

city fathers do not wish to send their budding young Einsteins to C.B.C. because it has no ivy-covered buildings and marble pillars. Anyone knows that you can't achieve an education unless these basic ingredients are in abundance. But one of our fore-fathers said that "An education lies neither in hovel or palace, but lies only in the seeker himself and his teachers."

So I say to the skeptics, stop your criticizing and try to help an institution that is indeed an asset to your community. It might be hard to judge something as small and as new as this college is for some of you are bound to be Harvard graduates, but if you could come down to our level it will be greatly appreciated.



Confidential by Bob

I sit here in a drunken stupor trying hard to convince myself that spring is here. I only have to go outside to completely disillusion myself.

This is the time when baseballs fill the air and screwballs roam the halls. This is the time when a teacher looks half way human, or as human as possible. Books are thought of as a device merely to use for a bridge in case you encounter a mud puddle; if the puddle is deep I suggest you use the Twentieth Century Public Accounting book. What time of year is this? Why, it's spring! Now close the door so the dust drifts won't pile up in the hallway.

Now on to something readable. Central Ford must be desperate, as they have lowered themselves to offer \$1300 for my old clunk. I was feeling pretty good about it until I found out that Chuck McHaney was offered \$1050 for his Schwinn bike. Ever since then I have been rummaging through the closet at home for

my roller skates.

Now I don't mind these trade-ins, but when a certain drug store offers you \$20 on your pocket comb towards a new toupee, I think they are getting ridiculous.

I read in the Basin News where some high school principal back east resigned from office because, as he put it, there was too much unglamorous, amorous carrying on in the dark, dingy hallways. He went on to state that they looked like a herd of hogs set free in a sow pen. I can see that he hasn't looked at our pig pen lately. Since I am under the influence of alcohol, I am not subject to libel for what I say or do. I really don't mean that about the pig pen—I just got carried away with idiosyncrasies.

Before I finish this mess I will once again remind you that spring is just around the corner and we should welcome this season by quitting school and roaming out in the world in search of a liberal education,

Registrar Is New Member

George Askegaard, registrar, has been accepted as a member of the American Personnel and Guidance Association, Inc. This organization of 7,500 persons is engaged in various phases of guidance and personnel work. Its purpose is to further the development of this type of work in institutions, community agencies, government, business and industry. Members must at least have a Master's degree and devote at least half of their time to some aspect of student personnel work, teaching, or research at the college level.

Vets Club Works To Improve College

Current Vets' club activities of the CBC Vets' Club are selling coffee to the students attending night school at the college and assisting the AWS in putting on a semi-formal dance to be held at the Pasco Recreation Center.

At the Vets Meeting Tuesday, April 10, Donna Rombough, president of the AWS, discussed the financial needs of the AWS and Vets club in putting on the dance May 5.

The coffee selling activities were discussed and it was decided to continue with this program until the end of April. All names of the people selling coffee have been posted on the school bulletin boards. If any one is unable to attend on a given night, advise the president of the club or get someone to change nights. Two members act as chief cook and bottle-washer and cashier.

The steps at the north end of the building by the cafeteria were put in by the Veterans club on their own time and the material was furnished throughout the Navy base. This was done to make the parking lot at the north end of the building more accessible.

CBC Debators Win Certificates

A five member debate team from CBC won ten Certificates of Achievement for Interpretative Reading, Extemporaneous Speech, and Debate when they toured to Aberdeen to compete against seven other junior colleges in the Washington State Junior College Speech Festival April 5-7, at the Grays Harbour College. They were accompanied by coach Robert Ericson.

The national subject for debate is the Guaranteed Annual Wage, and first place in this tournament was won by Grays Harbor Junior College.

Of the ten awards, Terry Upenberg won two Excellents for Interpretative Reading, and Extemporaneous Speech and one Good for Debate. The only other Excellent award was won by Charles Denny for Interpretative Reading.

Kathleen Trimble won a Good award in each category and was the only other member of the team to win three awards.



HARD WORKING VETS John Morbeck, T. K. Andrews, Keith Sterling help build steps at the north end of building. (Photo by Steve Severson)

Are You One Of The Fold?

AMES, Iowa — (ACP) — There aren't as many people actually working as you may have thought. At least, according to this survey included in the Iowa State Daily:

"The population of country is 160 million, there are 62 million over years of age, leaving 98 million to do the work. People under 21 total 54 million which leaves 44 million to do the work."

Music Listeners Get Audio Room

A music listening room has been established for the enjoyment of music addicts, pops or classics alike. Mr. Crabbe, music appreciation teacher, is responsible for the room which has a Columbia record player at the users disposition.

The music listening room is located at the back of the stage in the gymnasium and anyone desiring to use this room must check out the key for the room with the main office. Mr. Crabbe stated that whoever uses the room must be responsible for the property used.

OLD FLAME — What a girl uses to burn up her new boyfriend.

PINK ELEPHANT — Beast of bourbon.

HYPOCRITE — Undertaker trying to look sad at a thousand dollar funeral.

Then there are 21 million who are employed by the government and that leaves 23 million to do the work. Ten million are in the armed forces leaving 13 million to do the work. Deduct 12,800,000, number in state and city offices, and that leaves 100 thousand to do the work. There are 126 thousand in hospitals, insane asylums and so forth and that leaves 74 thousand people to do the work.

But 62 thousand of them are bums or others who not work so that leaves 12 thousand to do the work.

Now it may interest you to know that there are 1 million people in jail, so that leaves just two people to do all the work. And that is you and your brother, and I'm getting tired of doing everything by myself.

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CBC BECOMES MEMBER — Above is a close-up of plaque received by George Askegaard certifying that Columbia Basin College is now an active member of the American Association of Junior Colleges. (Photo, Steve Severson Studio)



CBC HAWKS, 1956 — (Front Row, left to right) Tom Burnside, Matt Fowler, Chuck Platsman, Dave Forrest, Larry Green and Bob Simonton. Row Two — Guy Parkman, Myron Krisher, Deny Olson, Charlie Ramp, Willard Fillion and Dale Harpe. Row Three — Score-keeper Glynn Gibson, Lynn Gillespie, Dick Griffin, Rodney Minike, Manager George Shiley and Coach Mr. James Stakkestad. (Photo by Steve Severson Studio)

Hawks Top Wenatchee In Twin Bill, 7-3, 5-4

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NEW COACHES . . .
inated to the National Coaches' Association All-American football team in 1947.
In his four years coaching at Davenport, Akins won two division basketball championships, one bi-county championship, two division tennis championships and bi-county championships.
Basketball, Baseball Star
Mr. Pyne played four years of varsity baseball and three years of varsity basketball at the University of Idaho. He was captain of 1945 and 1946 Idaho basketball teams and was named to the All-Northern Division team as a guard in 1946.
Mr. Pyne was hired as a full-time P.E. instructor at the college, but will also teach social studies if his schedule permits.

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The CBC Hawks jumped into the league lead last Friday when they dumped the Wenatchee Knights, 7-3 and 5-4 in both ends of a twin bill on the Pasco diamond.
CBC breezed through the first game starting off with three straight two-run innings. Pitcher Lynn Gillespie had a little trouble with control in the third inning, but went the route with an eight-hit performance. Dick Griffin and Charlie Ramp got the big hits for the Hawks in the first game.

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The Hawks held a 6-3 lead after three innings and the final run was added in the last of the fourth when Chuck Platsman singled, then stole second and third on a passed ball, and scored on Gillespie's long fly ball.
Second Game Thriller
CBC again jumped out into the lead of the second game, scoring one run in the bottom of the first. In the top of the second inning the Knights scored four runs when outfielders Larry Green and Bob Simonton collided when chasing a long fly ball. Green was taken to the Pasco hospital suffering from a cut right eye, bruised hip and sprained leg. Simonton was shaken up but continued to play.
Trailing 4-1, the Hawks

bounced right back in the bottom of the second when singles by Gillespie and Dick Griffin accounted for two runs. CBC tied the score in the third when Willard Fillion scored on Ramp's double. Dick Griffin scored the winning run in the eighth, scoring on a pass ball by the Wenatchee pitcher.

First Game:
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Floral Arrangements By EMMA TEMPLEMAN

Who Needs The Clock?

TEMPE, Ariz. — (ACP) — The Arizona State Press included this one concerning a Texas professor in its "On Other Campuses" column:

"A chemistry professor at a Texas college needs no clock by which to time his lectures. He merely watches eye balls. At a quarter after, there are only a few; at a quarter to, there is a solid line of white eyeballs with little dots at the top watching the clock. The professor explains it this way: 'The more white eyeballs, the nearer it is to bell time.'"

It seems that some profs should also be able to tell time by the level of the students' eyelids. The lower the lids, the closer to the end of the hour. But, of course, the fellow who falls asleep during the first five minutes of the hour would foul up that system.

Dick Griffin Elected As New Vice-President

Dick Griffin was recently elected ASB vice-president of Columbia Basin College. He is a transfer from Eastern Washington College, a sophomore majoring in the field of Physical activities. He is a member of the Vets Club as well as the baseball team and is originally from Hartford, Connecticut, but is now a resident of Pasco.

Ericsons Proud Parents

The Robert O. Ericsons are the parents of a 6 lb., 4 oz. baby girl born February 26. The little girl, named Stacy Gay, has dark, curly hair and looks like her mother, according to Mr. Ericson. She was called Stacy in honor of her maternal grandfather and Gay is her mother's maiden name.



ANNUAL GOES TO PRINT — Editor of the Neconia, Marilyn Head (left) gets a smile from her co-worker at the completion of the pages. Others pictured are: Jackie Reitan,

Diana Davila, Jackie Brassington, Kenda Smithers, Advisor Mrs. Mathews, Charlene Combs and Beverly Benninghoven.

(Photo by Steve Severson Studio)

CBC Annual Goes To Print

Neconia, Columbia Basin College's first annual, was a finished product of months of work Tuesday at Pasco printer's R. Wallace-Pischel. The annual staff had worked on this since last November.

The annual advisor was Mrs. Mac Mathews, English and literature teacher at CBC.

The staff consisted of Editor Marilyn Head; assistant editor, Charlene Combs; advertising, Jackie Brassington.

Of the 200 annuals printed there are only a few left as most of them have been sold. Any one desiring an annual should contact Marilyn Head as soon as possible as they are moving fast. \$2.50 should be taken along as an inducement for obtaining your copy.

College Welding Shops Have Latest Equipment

The welding department of Columbia Basin College has the very latest in up-to-date equipment and instruction available to industry at the present time, including all the

transformers, generators, rectifiers, etc., necessary for carrying out the different welding processes used on different kinds of metals and alloys.

The oxy-acetylene equipment is available for instruction in additional cutting and welding procedures. Other equipment and facilities are available for teaching the metallizing of the various ferrous and non-ferrous alloys.

Portable welding equipment is available for instructing operators in the operation of repairing equipment in the field, an extremely important phase of a welding operator's training. The ability to go into the field, size up a welding job, decide what has to be done, then do it is the mark of the well trained operator.

Along with the practical application of the various welding processes to the metals and alloys which are used in industry today, the students are introduced to technical subjects related to the actual welding processes. Safety in use and operation welding equipment is an essential part of the course, and particular care is given to this phase of instruction.

NEW COURSES . . .

want 5 credit hours in science.

Orientation To Teaching is a 3 credit course taught by Mr. P. A. Wright, past Superintendent of Richland Schools and now Educational Consultant with the Pasco Schools. Its purpose is to assist junior college students to explore career opportunities in the field of education, and to encourage an increasing number of able young people to prepare for teaching.

Business Math, a 5 credit course, is being taught by Mr. Al Killingsworth, to all BA students who were interested and should be of special interest to pre-education students. It has been considered acceptable as a mathematics transfer credit to teachers' colleges.

History 106, a 5 credit condensed survey of the U. S., is being taught by Mr. Oberst. It may not be taken by students who have had History 104 and 105, as it covers the subject matter of both.

Wedding Is Of Interest

A wedding of interest was the double ring ceremony of Laura Ward to Mac Mathews in the First Christian Church of Reno, Nevada, at 1:00 p.m. March 25, 1956.

Miss Ward is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Ward of Reno, Nevada, and Mathews is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mathews of Richland.

The bride chose a white dress with white accents and carried the traditional bridal bouquet. Miss J. Garwood was matron of honor and Mr. Frank Ward, brother of the bride, was best man. Reception followed immediately after the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Cano who is the sister of the bride.

OPEN HOUSE . . .

been designated as guest day for one school. The assigned day either students from the school will visit the college representatives from the college will visit the school.

Tuesday is Richland. Fifty-nine Richland students have expressed interest in attending C.B.C. next year. day will be devoted to acquainting them with the opportunities offered by this school. Wednesday, students of the Pasco High School will be guests of the college. Thursday is Kennewick day. Friday hospitality will be extended to other schools surrounding areas.

All students and faculty members of C.B.C. are for the week.

Several years ago an educator spoke in convocation of subject of "Academic Drying". The educator left his manuscript to the college library. A library student assistant found it under Fungi.

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